

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in this case.

Listing of Claims:

1-18. (Canceled)

19. (New) A method of treating an ongoing autoimmune disease in a human having said disease, wherein said disease is selected from the group consisting of psoriasis and diabetes, comprising:

treating said human by administering one or more non-mitogenic anti-CD3 active compounds selected from the group consisting of CD3 antibodies and fragments of CD3 antibodies in an amount effective to treat said disease.

20. (New) The method of Claim 19 wherein said autoimmune disease is diabetes.

21. (New) The method of Claim 20 wherein said treatment results in a durable remission of said diabetes.

22. (New) The method of Claim 19 wherein said autoimmune disease is psoriasis.

23. (New) The method of Claim 22 wherein said treatment results in a durable remission of said psoriasis.

24. (New) The method of Claim 19 wherein said administration of said one or more non-mitogenic anti-CD3 active compounds is a non-chronic administration.

25. (New) The method of Claim 24 wherein said autoimmune disease is diabetes.

26. (New) The method of Claim 24 wherein said autoimmune disease is psoriasis.

27. (New) The method of Claim 19 wherein said non-mitogenic anti-CD3 active compound is a non-mitogenic anti-CD3 monoclonal antibody.

28. (New) The method of Claim 19 wherein said non-mitogenic anti-CD3 active compound is a non-mitogenic anti-CD3 monoclonal antibody (Fab')₂ fragment.

29. (New) The method of Claim 19 wherein said non-mitogenic anti-CD3 active compound is a non-mitogenic anti-CD3 antibody.

30. (New) The method of Claim 29 wherein said non-mitogenic anti-CD3 active compound is a non-mitogenic anti-CD3 monoclonal antibody.

31. (New) The method of Claim 30 wherein said monoclonal antibody is selected from the group consisting of murine or humanized antibody.

32. (New) The method of Claim 19 wherein said compound is highly purified and endotoxin-free.

33. (New) The method of Claim 19 wherein said active compound is administered by injection.